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SUMMARY. ON THE PRC DOMESTIC SCENE, A NUMBER OF POLITBURO MEMBERS (INCLUDING VICE CHAIRMAN WANG HUNG-WEN WHO FOR THE FIRST TIME LED A MAJOR PEKING AIRPORT TURNOUT) WERE MUCH IN THE PUBLIC SPOTLIGHT ATTENDING TO LEADERSHIP AND PROTOCOL FUNCTIONS. MEANWHILE, IN AN INTERESTING COMMENTARY ON THE PRESENT HIATUS IN THE CURRENT POLITICAL MOVEMENT, THE AUGUST 18 ANNIVERSARY OF THE RED GUARDS PASSED BY WITH A MINIMUM OF FANFARE. ON THE INTERNATIONAL FRONT, THE CHINESE APPEAR PLEASED

WITH THE STATE OF PRC-ROMANIAN RELATIONS FOLLOWING PEKING'S PARTICIPATION AT THE BUCHAREST CELEBRATIONS. IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE JAPANESE PRESS VICE PREMIER TENG HSIAO-PING HAS REPORTEDLY REFERRED TO THE TAIWAN PRBLEM AS "EXTREMELY COMPLEX" IN THE CONTEXT OF BOTH SINO-U.S. AND SINO-JAPAN RELATIONS. END SUMMARY

1. LEADERSHIP APPEARANCES

CENTRAL LEADERSHIP WAS ACTIVE DURING THE WEEK WITH PARTY VICE CHAIRMAN WANG HUNG-WEN FOR THE FIRST TIME TAKING ON THE NUMBER ONE POSITION AT AIRPORT CEREMONIES WHERE HE LED THE TURNOUT FOR VICE PREMIER LI HSIEN-NIEN'S MISSION TO ROMANIA (AUGUST 21). WANG ALSO HEADED THE AIRPORT DELEGATION ON LI'S RETURN. REGULAR STAND-IN PREMIER TENG HSIAO-PING CONTINUED HIS BUSY ROUND OF GREETING FOREIGN DIGNITARIES. POLITBURO MEMBER AND MR COMMANDER CHEN HSI-LIEN WAS WITH WANG AND TENG AT THE AIRPORT AND ATTENDED PING PONG MATCHES. FELLOW POLITBURO LEADER WU TEH MADE FIVE SEPARATE APPEARANCES AND CHI TENG-KUEI, ANOTHER POLITBURO LEADER AND PEKING POLITICAL COMMISSAR, HOSTED A BANQUET FOR A SOUTH VIETNAMESE DELEGATION. THE FLURRY OF ACTIVITY AMONG THESE TOP LEADERS WAS POINTED UP BY THE CONTINUED NON-APPEARANCE OF CHOU EN-LAI-WHO TENG, ACCORDING TO THE JAPANESE PRESS, NOW SAYS IS BACK IN THE HOSPITAL--AND THE CURRENT ABSENCE FROM PUBLIC SIGHT OF SENIOR MILITARY FIGURE YEH CHIEN-YING. AMONG PARTY VICE CHAIRMEN, WANG HAS THE PUBLIC STAGE TO HIMSELF (HONG KONG 9431). LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

2. PROVINCIAL DELEGATIONS

FOLLOWING ON THE HEELS OF THE DELEGATIONS REPORTED LAST WEEK TO KOREA AND TO ALBANIA/ROMANIA (WR 34), NCNA ANNOUNCED TWO OTHER DELEGATIONS LED BY PROVINCIAL FIGURES DEPARTING FOR THE CONGO AND TO ATTEND ROMANIAN NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS. THE FORMER WAS CONFIDENTIAL

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HEADED BY WEI FANG-YING, THE HEAD OF THE LIAONING WOMEN'S FEDERATION WITH CHANG KUO-LAO, A HONAN YOUTH LEAGUE SECRETARY, AS HER DEPUTY (NCNA ENGLISH AUGUST 22). FAN TEH-LING, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOPEI TRADE UNION COUNCIL, HEADED THE LIST OF WORKERS ATTENDING THE ROMANIAN CELEBRATIONS WITH HIS DEPUTIES FROM THE TRADE UNION COUNCILS OF PEKING AND KWANGSI (NCNA ENGLISH AUGUST 21). LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

3. PROMOTIONS

NCNA IN REPORTING THE RETURN HOME OF THE LI DELEGATION TO ROMANIA CITED THE PRESENCE OF SIX VICE FOREIGN MINISTERS, INCLUDING WANG HSI-JUNG. WANG'S PROMOTION IS PROBABLY QUITE RECENT: SHE WAS IDENTIFIED AS ASSISTANT MINISTER AS LATE AS JULY 12 ATTENDING AIRPORT DEPARTURE CEREMONIES FOR A DELEGATION TO IRAQ (HONG KONG

9506). IN THE PROVINCES, LU JUI-LIN WAS CONFIRMED--AS WAS EARLIER SUSPECTED (24 24)--AS PARTY FIRST SECRETARY IN KWEICHOW (HONG KONG 9468). A BRITISH REPORT FROM A TRAVELER EXITING CHINA IDENTIFIED LU AS THE PROVINCIAL REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN--A USUAL COMBINATION OF THE TWO OFFICES (OIR 3346/74).
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4. RED GUARD ANNIVERSARY

THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE RED GUARDS (AUGUST 18) PASSED WITH BARELY A MENTION IN PEKING AND WITH ALMOST NO MENTION IN THE PROVINCES. LAST YEAR, PEOPLE'S DAILY CARRIED AN ARTICLE WHICH GAVE PROMINENT PLAY TO THE RED GUARDS' ROLE IN THE CULTURAL REVOLUTION AND EMPHASIZED THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TO SOCIETY. THIS YEAR, A THIRD-PAE ARTICLE EXHALTED A FORMER RED GUARD IN HEILUNGKIANG WHO REFUSED TO GO TO UNIVERSITY AS A MEANS OF ESCAPING FROM THE RIGORS OF LIFE IN THE COUNTRYSIDE. IN THE PROVINCES, THE ONLY REPORTED RED GUARD ACTIVITIES CENTERED AROUND THE ANNIVERSARY DATE WERE IN CHEKIANG, INNER MONGOLIA AND KIRIN. CHEKIANG WAS THE ONLY ONE OF THE THREE TO REFER TO THE CULTURAL REVOLUTION ACTIVITIES OF THE RED GUARDS AND TO EXTOLL THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS. THE PROVINCE ALSO WAS THE ONLY ONE TO REFER TO THE ANNIVERSARY AND TO COMMEMORATE IT (CHEKIANG AUGUST 18). KIRIN, WHICH HELD A MUNICIPAL (CHANGCHUN) RED GUARD CONGRESS FROM AUGUST 18 TO 20, DID NOT REFER TO THE ANNIVERSARY AND MADE ONLY PASSING MENTION OF "THE MILITANT COURSE THE RED GUARDS HAVE TRAVERSED" PREFERRING TO EMPHASIZE THEIR STUDY OF MARXISM AND
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MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT AS A MEANS OF CARRYING ON THE CRITICISM OF LIN PIAO AND CONFUCIUS (KIRIN AUGUST 21).
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5. CENTER DIRECTED EFFORTS ON EDUCATION

FOLLOWING UP ON THE KWANGSI CONFERENCE REPORTED EARLIER (HONG KONG 8904), STATE COUNCIL SCIENTIFIC AND EDUCATIONAL SECTION OFFICIALS WERE REPORTED ATTENDING THE AUGUST 7-17 "REPORT" MEETING CALLED BY THE TSINGHAI BUREAU OF CULTURE AND EDUCATION (TSINGHAI AUGUST 21). THE RADIO BROADCAST DID NOT MENTION THE ATTENDANCE OF DELEGATES FROM OTHER PROVINCES--AS WAS THE CASE IN KWANGSI--BUT DID REPORT THE STUDY OF CENTRAL DIRECTIVE (S) ON THE "REVOLUTION IN EDUCATION." FROM THE THE TENOR OF THE BROADCAST, THE CONFERENCE SEEMS DIRECTED AT THE BUILDING OF THE THEORETICAL CONTINGENTS AND DIRECTTING PRIMARY CRITICAL ATTENTION TO CONFUCIAN MORALITY IN THE "THREE CHARACTER CLASSIC." THE MEETING ALSO CALLED FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF CHAIRMAN MAO'S "MAY 7 DIRECTIVE" TO RUN ALL KINDS OF SCHOOLS AND TO "POPULARIZE" FIVE-YEAR PRIMARY SCHOOL EDUCATION.
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6. CENTRAL DIRECTIVE TO CRITICIZE LIN'S MILITARY LINE

RECENT BROADCAST ATTENTION HAS BEEN DIRECTED TOWARD ATTACKS BY MILITARY DISTRICT AND PLA UNITS ON LIN PIAO'S MILITARY LINE, ABOVE AND BEYOND THE ATTENTION GIVEN THE SUBJECT AROUND THE ARMY DAY CELEBRATIONS OF AUGUST 1. TWO BROADCASTS FROM HEILUNGKIANG (AUGUST 24 AND AUGUST 25) CITE THIS AS A TASK SET DOWN BY CHAIRMAN MAO AND THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE. PEOPLE'S DAILY (AUGUST 27) HAS ALSO WEIGHED IN WITH A PAGE TWO COLLECTION OF ARTICLES WHICH SEEM
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DIRECTED AT REMOVING THE FINAL VESTIGES OF ANY SUPPORT FOR LIN WITHIN THE MILITARY RANKS (NCNA ENGLISH AUGUST 27). THE ATTACK ON LIN HAS NOW CENTERED ON HIS NOT INCONSIDERABLE MILITARY REPUTATION. THIS REPUTATION APPARENTLY HAS PERSISTED IN SPITE OF THE ATTACKS ON HIM FOR HIS REACTIONARY POLITICAL AND SOCIAL THINKING AND HIS COUP ATTEMPT. THE DIRECTIVE MAY BE A WARNING TO THOSE WHO STILL WISH TO SUSTAIN RESPECT FOR LIN'S MILITARY REPUTATION.
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7. HEILUNGKIANG CADRE TRAINING

HEILUNGKIANG RADIO ON AUGUST 20 ANNOUNCED THE BEGINNING (AUGUST 16) OF THE SECOND STUDY CLASS FOR "WORKER-PEASANT-SOLDIER CADRE." THE THREE MONTH COURSE, HOWEVER, INCLUDES AMONG ITS STUDENTS MEMBERS OF THE PROVINCIAL PARTY COMMITTEE, VICE CHAIRMEN OF THE PROVINCIAL REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE, AND DEPUTY SECRETARIES AND STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBES OF VARIOUS SUBORDINATE UNITS AS WELL AS MASS ORGANIZATION CADRES. THE CURRICULUM IS OF INTEREST SINCE IN ADDITION TO THE WORKS OF MARX, LENIN, AND MAO, THE GROUP WILL BE STUDYING "THE VARIOUS DOCUMENTS CONCERNING THE CRITICISM OF LIN PIAO AND CONFUCIUS AND THE GREAT PROLETARIAN CULTURAL

REVOLUTION." THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STUDY CLASS IS THUS STUDYING WHAT THEY SUPPOSEDLY HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTING FOR THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS, A FURTHER INDICATOR THAT THE CENTER IS NOT SATISFIED WITH THE PROVINCIAL PERFORMANCE IN CARRYING OUT THE MOVEMENT.
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8. CHINA'S POPULATION

AT THE WORLD POPULATION CONFERENCE IN BUCHAREST PEKING ADMITTED TO A NEW POPULATION FIGURE OF "NEARLY 800 MILLION," UP ALMOST 100 MILLION FROM PREVIOUSLY STATED STATISTICS (HONG KONG 9469).
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9. TENG HSIAO-PING COMMENTS ON TAIWAN AND SINO-U.S. AND SINO-JAPAN RELATIONS

REPLYING TO QUESTIONS FROM A VISITING YOMIURI SHIMBUN DELEGATION, PRC VICE PREMIER TENG HSIAO-PING ON AUGUST 20 REPORTEDLY COMMENTED THAT "THE TAIWAN PROBLEM IS EXTREMELY COMPLEX" AND AN OBSTACLE FOR BOTH SINO-U.S. AND SINO-JAPAN RELATIONS. HE POINTED OUT THAT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH JAPAN HAD BEEN ACHIEVED ONLY WITH THE JOINT STATEMENT ACKNOWLEDGING "THE CORRECT
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PRINCIPLE" REGARDING TAIWAN.
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10. WITH REGARD TO THE NEW U.S. ADMINISTRATION, THE VICE PREMIER STATED THAT CHINA WILL ADOPT A "WAIT AND SEE" ATTITUDE BUT INTERPRETED SECRETARY KISSINGER'S REMAINING WITH THE FORD ADMINISTRATION AS "EVIDENCE OF THE U.S. HOPE" TO DEMONSTRATE CONTINUITY IN THE PURSUIT OF THE NIXON FOREIGN POLICY. REFERRING TO WATERGATE, TENG REPORTEDLY TOLD THE JOURNALISTS THAT THE SCANDAL WAS ONLY THE "OSTENSIBLE CAUSE" OF THE NIXON RESIGNATION. HE SUGGESTED THAT MORE SERIOUS U.S. ECONOMIC PROBLEMS SUCH AS INFLATION ACCOUNTED FOR THE NIXON DOWNFALL. (MEANWHILE THE LOCAL COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS IN HONG KONG HAVE DEVOTED EXTENSIVE COVERAGE TO U.S. ECONOMIC ILLS BUT NEITHER THE OFFICIAL PRC MEDIA ORGANS NOT ITS TWO MAJOR PAPERS IN HONG KONG HAVE MENTIONED NOR REPORTED PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI'S WARM PERSONAL MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FORD.)
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11. TENG CHARACTERIZED THE PRC'S RELATIONS WITH JAPAN AS "GOOD AND NORMAL." HOPING FOR EARLY NEGOTIATIONS ON A PEACE TREATY, HE OBSERVED THAT THE TREATY COULD BE SETTLED WITH COMPARATIVE EASE. HE ALSO REVEALED THAT A JAPAN VISIT BY FOREIGN MINISTER CHI PENG-FEI IS UNDER CONSIDERATION.
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12. ROMANIA

INDICATIVE OF THE VALUE AND IMPORTANCE CHINA CURRENTLY ATTACHES TO RELATIONS WITH BUCHAREST, MAO TSE-TUNG, CHU TEH AND CHOU EN-

LAI SENT A JOINT FRATERNAL CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO THEIR ROMANIAN COUNTERPARTS ON THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF ROMANIAN LIBERATION DAY. THE MESSAGE WAS NOTABLY WARMER THAN THE LAST PUBLISHED MESSAGE OF 1972 WHEN SINO-ALBANIAN RELATIONS WERE CLOSER. MEANWHILE IN PEKING TENG HSIAO-PING AND WU TEH LED THE PRC TURNOUT FOR THE ROMANIAN CELEBRATIONS. THE PEOPLE'S DAILY (AUGUST 22) MARKED THE OCCASION WITH AN EDITORIAL REplete WITH ANTI-HEGEMONY, ANTI-SOVIET THEMES. THE EDITORIAL AND COMPANION ARTICLES STATED THAT SINO-ROMANIAN FRIENDSHIP "CAN STAND ANY TEST" AND PRAISED THE MAVERICK EAST EUROPEAN NATION'S BOLD DEFENSE OF HER SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE IN THE FACE OF PRESSURES DESIGNED TO COMPEL ABANDONMENT OF SUCH POLICIES.

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13. MEANWHILE, VICE PREMIER LI HSIEN-NIEN HEADED A JOINT PARTY AND GOVERNMENT DELEGATION TO THE BUCHAREST CELEBRATIONS AND HAD TALKS WITH PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU AND OTHER LEADERS. PEKING IS PROBABLY PLEASED WITH THE OUTCOME OF LI'S VISIT AND ESPECIALLY THE WARM BUCHAREST RECEPTION FOR THE PRC DELEGATION WHICH COMPARED FAVORABLY WITH THE CORDIAL BUT COOLER RECEPTION FOR THE CHIEF SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE, PRIME MINISTER KOSYGIN

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14. CZECHOSLOVAKIA

AS OPPOSED TO LAST YEAR, WHEN THERE WAS A LONG NCNA CORRESPONDENT'S
BLAST AIMED DIRECTLY AT THE SOVIET UNION ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE INVASION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, CHINA'S COVERAGE THIS YEAR

RAN ONLY TWO SHORT REPORTS OF RALLIES HELD IN SWEDEN AND NORWAY, AND A COMMENT BY AN ALBANIAN PAPER. AT A TIME WHEN CHINA IS SEEKING TO CURRY FAVOR WITH EAST EUROPEAN REGIMES TO COUNTER SOVIET INFLUENCE, PEKING PROBABLY FEELS THAT IT IS BEST NOT TO HIGHLIGHT AN ISSUE WHICH WOULD ONLY SERVE TO MAKE THE PRESENT CZECH GOVERNMENT UNCOMFORTABLE (NCNA AUGUST 21, 22).

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15. WORLD POPULATION CONFERENCE

CHINA TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE CONVENING OF THE WORLD POPULATION CONFERENCE IN BUCHAREST TO CONTINUE LAMBASTING THE SUPERPOWERS WHILE ACTING AS A SPOKESMAN FOR CERTAIN THIRD WORLD INTEREST. CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE STATED THAT THE ROOT CAUSES OF POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT ARE NOT POPULATION GROWTH BUT EXPLOITATION BY THE IMPERIALISTS, ESPECIALLY THE SUPERPOWERS. HE COMMENTED THAT A LARGE POPULATION IS A GOOD THING, SINCE IT STRENGTHENS THE THIRD WORLD IN THEIR STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND HEGEMONISM. NCNA REPORTED THAT THE U.S. DELEGATE "BABBLED" CONFIDENTIAL

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ABOUT WORLD POPULATION PROBLEMS AND THAT THE SOVIET DELEGATE "CONTINUED TO PEDDLE THE SAME FALLACY" (NCNA AUGUST 21, 25).

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16. CYPRUS

THERE HAS BEEN A NOTABLE DECLINE IN PRC MEDIA REPORTS ON THE CYPRUS PROBLEM. NCNA HAS EVEN REFRAINED FROM THE USUAL POLEMICS ON SUPERPOWER CONTENTION AS THE ROOT CAUSE OF THE PROBLEM AND ON AUGUST 27 CARRIED A BRIEF AND FACTUAL ITEM NOTING THAT THE GREEK AND TURKISH CYPRIOT LEADERS WERE MEETING FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE BREAKDOWN OF THEIR RECENT GENEVA TALKS. HOWEVER, THE SPACE DEVOTED TO CYPRUS AND RELATED DEVELOPMENTS IN THE INTERNALLY CIRCULATED NEWS FOR REFERENCE SUGGESTS THAT THE PRC IS CLOSELY WATCHING THE SITUATION AND IS CONCERNED ABOUT RUSSIAN MOVES IN THE AREA (PEKING 1448).

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17. KOREA

NCNA THIS WEEK CARRIED EXCERPTS FROM TWO NORTH KOREAN STATEMENTS SUPPORTING THE INCLUSION IN THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE 29TH SESSION OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE ITEM "WITHDRAWAL OF ALL THE FOREIGN TROOPS STATIONED IN SOUTH KOREA UNDER THE FLAG OF THE UNITED NATIONS" (WR 34). NCNA REPLAYED PYONGYANG'S RODONG SINMUN STATEMENT THAT "IT IS NECESSARY...TO FORCE THE

U.S. IMPERIALIST AGGRESSOR TROOPS ILLEGALLY OCCUPYING SOUTH KOREA TO WITHDRAW FROM IT AND TERMINATE FOREIGN INTERFERENCE IN KOREA." SIMILARLY IT REPORTED THE DEMAND OF NORTH KOREA'S OBSERVER AT THE UN THAT THE UN TAKE MEASURES FOR THE "IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF THE U.S. IMPERIALIST AGGRESSOR TROOPS STATIONED IN SOUTH KOREA UNDER THE FLAG OF THE UNITED NATIONS" (NCNA AUGUST 21,26).

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18. INTERNATIONAL SPORTS

NCNA HAS COMMENTED THAT THE 269-STRONG CHINESE SPORTS CONTINGENT TO THE SEVENTH ASIAN GAMES IN TEHRAN IS THE BIGGEST SENT ABROAD
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SINCE LIBERATION. MEANWHILE, CHINA IS GETTING AS MUCH MILEAGE AS POSSIBLE OUT OF ITS BANNED SWIMMING CONTINGENT, WHICH THE CHINESE ELECTED TO SEND TO TEHRAN ANYWAY (WR 34). THE SWIMMERS ARE ENGAGING IN FRIENDLY PRACTICE MATCHES WITH OTHER TEAMS AND ONE MATCH HAS BEEN BROADCAST ON IRANIAN TELEVISION. NCNA (AUGUST 27) REPORTED THAT THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE GAMES ORGANIZING COMMITTEE EXPRESSED REGRET OVER THE INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING FEDERATION'S "STUBBORN AND ERRONEOUS DECISION."

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19. RWANDA

CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER CHI PENG-FEI MET HIS RWANDAN COUNTERPART LIEUTENANT COLONEL NSEKALIJE ALOYS ON AUGUST 2. CHI COMMENTED FAVORABLY ON RWANDA'S CONDEMNATION OF SUPERPOWER AGGRESSION AND INSERTED THE STANDARD PHRASE THAT "CHINA AND RWANDA ARE BOTH DEVELOPING COUNTRIES BELONGING TO THE THIRD WORLD." AT A SUBSEQUENT BANQUET HOSTED BY ALOYS, CHI STATED: "WE HOLD THAT IT IS INCUMBENT UPON THE THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES TO GIVE ONE ANOTHER SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE IN THEIR COMMON STRUGGLE. AT PRESENT OUR STRENGTH IS QUITE LIMITED AND OUR ASSISTANCE IS VERY MODEST. WE ARE RESOLVED TO GRADUALLY CHANGE THE PRESENT SITUATION IN WHICH THE STRENGTH IS NOT EQUAL TO THE WILL AND PERFORM OUR BOUNDEN INTERNATIONALIST DUTY BETTER." THIS ELEGANTLY POLITE LANGUAGE PROBABLY SIGNALS THAT RWANDA WILL NOT BE GETTING AS MUCH AID AS IT WOULD LIKE FROM PEKING (NCNA AUGUST 22, 26).

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